# TO BOYCOTT THE TRUST

Retail Grocers to Meet Power With Power.

#### TO BUY NOTHING FROM IT

Copies of the Resolutions Sent to Every Branch of the Association in the State-Winston-Salem Refuses to Join the Move.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

\*\*XINSTON, N. C., August 8.—Retail

Grocers' and General Merchants' Association, of Kinston, have boycotted the American Tobacco Company,

and General Merchants' Association Saturday night at the courthouse that may be of incalculable importance and far-reaching in its effect on the busines and agricultural interests of the State.

The object of the meeting in a nutshell is to inaugurate a boycott of the American Tobacco Company's manufactured product by the merchants of North Carolina, or obtain from them concessions in the way of better prices to the producers

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The present low price of the raw material has affected the business interests of the State in all sections and particularly in Eastern Carolina, and the retail merchants of Kinston, recognizing the oneness of their interests with that of the farmer, have decided that something radical must be done to stay the ever-increasing encroachment of the trust upon the rights of the individual and against the fruits of his labor.

It is charged that the American Tobacco Company is responsible for the present low price of tobacco, and it is held by the grocers that an appeal to thom, not backed by power, will fall on deaf ears.

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IMPORTANT FACTOR.

North Carolina not only furnishes more bright leaf tobacco than any other State, but is also one of the trust's biggest, if not its biggest, customer in the purchase of their manufactured manufactured product.

Having the organization and the power that goes with organization and the power that goes with organization and product is in a position to dictate the price to the individual of both the selling of the manufactured product and the buying of the raw material.

The plan of the Retail Grocers' and General Merchants' Association as set forth in the recolution adopted at the meeting is to every association. In North Carolina with a request that they be after the selling of the association was sent to every association. Taking into consideration the fact that in every town or city of importance in the State the Retail Grocers' and General Merchants' Association has a branch composed of the leading retailers, it can be readily seen that they have a wispon at their command that can be wielded with deadly effect on the business of the trust in this State.

Further, the boycott can be extended all over the nation, as the same thing exists in nearly all other States as to the association. It is claimed that there is plenty of tobacco manufactured independent of the trust to furnish the users of it wilhout buying of the American Tobacco Company, and more independent factories can be established by the association of retailers if permanent concessions with assurance that their rights will be respected by the trust is not obtained by the boycott.

The plan of the Retail Grocers' and General Merchants' Association is believed to be feasible and may be the entering wedge to destroy the stupendous power of the tobacco trust.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

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WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., August 11.—

The Merchants' Association here decline
to Join the Kinston Association in a
boycott against the goods manufactured
by the American Tobucco Company. The
resolutions adopted by the Kinston Merchants were promptly tabled, after being
read before the local merchants.

#### AN ARMED PRISONER

Favetteville Sends a Good Team to the Firemen's Contest. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
AYETTEVILLE, N. C., August 11.—

David Lackey, a young white man, living on the east side of Cape Fear River, was placed in the county fail yesterday, violently insane. He has been going about over teh neighborhood armed with an old army musket and a cavalry sabre, to protect himself from a band of men who, he says, want to kill him. He consented to come to town quietly, only on condition that hem ight carry his weapons; and the remarkable speciately was offered on the to come to town quietly, only on condition that hem ight carry his weapons; and the remarkable spectacle was offered on the streets of a prisoner on his way to jail betwene unarmed officers, with a gun on his shoulder and a sword by his side. Company A, of Fayetteville, Independent Light Infantry Battallon, Major J. G. Hollingsworth. commanding, leaves here to-morrow, to go into camp with the First Regiment, State Guard, at Asheville. The city fire department yesterday, sent First Regiment, State Guard, at Asheville. The city fire department yesterday sent the following team to Durham, to compete for the prizes in the State firemen's tournament: Chief J. S. McNell, Assistant Chief E. L. Pool, ex-Chief E. F. Pemberton; Firemen George Phillips, H. L. McDuffee, Jr., D. H. Maultsby, W. C. Holland, Jr., B. Robinson, C. L. Jones. John Strand, L. B. Black, R. L. Dye, P. E. Hinton. The team is well ffained and handsomely uniformed.

The commissioners of Cumberland county yesterday levied a tax of 25 cents on 1100 of real property, with 75 cents on the poll, in one township, Cross Creek, for graded schools. This, it is estimated. Will give the schools an annual income of \$7.500, less \$1,000 for interests and sinking fund.

fund.

The county institute for white teachers in Cumberland is now in its second week, with Professor Watson, of Raleigh, presiding, and a large attendance, Congressmen Page and Patterson will address the Institute next Friday.

### WRECK ON SOUTHERN

WAS PLANNED

(By Associated Press.)

CHARLOTTE, N. C., August 11.—Engineer Black, Fireman Earle and Mail Clerks Burchileld and Sharpe, injured in the wreck of the fast mail train at Gastonia last night, were removed to their homes to-day, and it is said that all will recover.

recover.

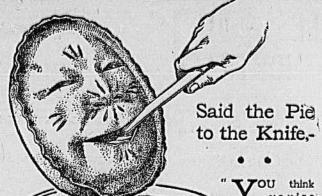
Ralipoad men claim that there is indeputable evidence that the wreck was believed by planned.

It has been discovered that the awitch-lock was broken with a rock and the signal light extinguished.

Persons who visited the scene shortly after the accident confirm this.

The track was cleared about 7 o'clock this morning.

A most important meeting of Central W. C. T. U. will be held this afternoon at 4:80 o'clock, in the Friends' meeting-bouse, First and Clay Streets.



Presto

you're sharpbut any old Stick could cut PRESTO pastry!'

"Oh!" a little bit short and crusty, am I?" "Well, I'm not so tough as the last pie you cut, if

your edge is an indication!" 'Took an hour to make, and a week to bake, did it?'

"Folks had to dig the fruit out of it with a pickaxe I'm told, and, -sent the shell to the Blacksmith for hinges!" "But.-never again will they need to do that, since now they use "magical" PRESTO."

"It makes the quickest, surest, lightest, whitest, and cheapest, of cakes and pastry."

'Just compare the costs for Pie-crust, (beneath) and observe that it needs less "shortening."

Presto

FOR CAKES | Quick-SHORT-CAKE PUDDINGS · Flour | MUFFINS · · · DOUGHNUTS MUFFINS . .

### THE SURVIVORS OF FORT FISHER

The Commanders of Both Sides Are Present at Wil-

mington-Gov. Aycock.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) WILMINGTON, N. C., August 11.—The reunion of survivors of the battle of Fort Fisher will take place to-morrow on the memorable battle ground near the mouth of Cape Fear River.
To-night two hundred visitors are here

from many States for the occasion, and it is expected that the number will be increased by several hundred to-morrow.

This evening at the Wilmington Light Infantry Armory an informal reception was held, and reminiscences of those days were fresh on the lips of the men who fought in many a bloody conflict.

Among the few men from the Federal army present to-night was Captain James Parker of New Iersey who was in com-

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Parker, of New Jersey, who was in command of the Federal fleet and led the
naval charge against the fortifications.
Colonel William Lamb, of Norfolk, who
was in command of the Confederate
forces in the fort, was also present.
Governor Charles B. Aycock arrived this
evening. He will be one of the speakers
to-morrow.

#### CANDIDATES FOR GOV. IN NORTH CAROLINA

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) (apecial to The Times-Dispatch.)
WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., August 11.—
It is quite certain that Captain R. B. It is quite certain that Captain R. B. Glenn will enter the race for the Demoratic nomination for Governor next year. He has the matter under consideration, and promises to announce his decision in the matter in a few days. Captain Glenn is a strong campaigner, and if he decides to go into the fight he will make it interesting for his competitors.

There are no less than half a dozen aspirants now for the Democratic nomination.

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The Forsyth commissioners have reconsidered the action taken last week to
stop permanent road work in this county.
There are fifty convicts at work now on
the roads, and this county, with the exception of Mecklenburg, has taken the
lead in permanent road building.
The Winston-Salem firemen went to
Durham to-day to attend the annual
meeting of the State Firemen's Association
and Tournament. An invitation will be
extended to the association to hold its
annual meeting in this city.

#### MRS. FINLAYSON'S JEWELRY

A Thief Steals it While She is Absent,

Eclipse Company's Record. (Special to The Times-Dispatch. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

GOLDSBORO, N. C., Aug. 11.—The residence of Mr. and Mrs. Finleyson, on John Street, was entered yesterday afternoon while Mrs. Finlayson was on a shopping errand, and her wrist bag, containing one \$30 gold piece, one \$5 gold and two \$2.50 gold piece, one \$5 gold and two \$2.50 gold pieces, together with other currency and one ruby diamond hoop ring, were stolen. The and pearl brooch, one diamond brooch, one solitaire diamond ring and a three-diamond hoop ring were stolen. The value of the jeweiry is probably five or six hundred dollars.

The two horse hose reel companies of the very many of the world in the goldsboro Fire Department, will leave this city on Monday night for Durham, where the State firemen's tournament, will take place.

The Eclipse Company, of this city, holds the championship of the world in these races. The participants in the races are required to start at the firing of a pistol and run two hundred yards, lay two hundred feet of hose, make a coupling an dattach a nozzle. The Eclipse Company holds the championship at a record of thirty-two and two-fifth seconds.

#### TERROR OF MECKLENBURG ESCAPES AND IS AT LARGE

shot Sam Howie, colored, inflicting a dangerous wound.
Sheriff Wallace is preparing to go in pursuit of the fugitive. No negro has given the officers in this county more trouble than Will Harris and it is doubting if any man has ever given the people of a community as much anxiety.

For the past three or four years numbers of fires in Mecklenburg were attributed to him, and in addition he habeen guility of other crimes, the shooting of 'Squire John P. Hunter being one of them.

At the May term of Mecklenburg Superior Court Harris was tried for burning Squire John Graham Alexander's barn and assulting Jim Crocket, colored, with

#### victed and sentenced to the penitentiary to serve a sentence of thirty years. MANY INQUIRIES

Leach, the Hotel Thief Visited Many Places-Building in Greensboro.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
GREENSBORO, N. C., Aug. 11.—In GREENSBORO, N. C., Aug. 11.—Inquiries continue to come in from different points as to Harry Leach, the professional hotel thef, who is in Jail here under ten different warrants for larceny from the rooms of hotel guests. To-day, a letter from Hamlet described the loss of articles from a hotel there, and some of them were found in what was left of Leach's baggage. The only article of value now remaining unclaimed is a sechand-hand dress suit.

The chief of police saturday received a telegram from Jackson Springs, saying that Leach owed a bill there, and several articles were missing.

Leach read the telegram and said he only had a scart pla from that hotel and would return it.

The late Colonel J. E. Catlin had \$5,000

the estate and remove to her old home in Virginia.

Professor J. H. Lippard, of Salisbury, has moved his family to Greensboro and will open a business college here.

Mr. Frank Ross, of Pleasant Garden, vesterday bought a fifty-foot front on South Elm Street, for \$2.50 and will build two three-story brick stores.

Good progress is be-m made on four large brick stores being built on South Elm Street, one each for Messrs, John Hudgin, C. P. Frazler, Will. H. Mathews and C. C. Townsend.

Dr. J. H. Whych has given out a contract for a \$4.000 residence on a portion of his present residence lot.

Ex-Congressman Spencer Blackburn has given out the contract for a \$10.000 residence on the four-acre lot recently purchased on Summit Avenue.

#### The I rial of Rosebro

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Aug. 11.—Will Rosebro, the negro charged with assaulting and murdering Mrs. Beaver in Iredell county, a short time ago, and who has been confined in the Mecklenburg jail for safe-keeping, was to-day carried to Statesville by Sheriff Wallace and delivered to the Sheriff Wallace and delivered to the Sheriff of Iredell.

Rosebro will be arraigned for trial during the present term of Iredell Superior Court, which is in session this week.

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CHARLOTTE, N. C., Aug. II.—Many prominent Odd-Fellows from different parts of the State will come to Charlotte to-morrow to attend the annual meeting of the Grand Encampment of North Carolina. The visitors, of which there will probably be from 50 to 75, will be the guests of Catawba River Encampment, No. II, and the meeting will continue throughout to-morrow and Thursday.

### MANY PONIES FOR THE CIRCUS

Superintendent Thompson Has Charge of the Animals. Blues' Band.

Superintendent W. H. Thompson, of the Fire Alarm Department, has charge of the animals at the Amateur Circus, to be given at the Horse Show building on August 29th.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
CHARLOTTE. N. C., August II.—Will
Harris, colored, the most dangerous
reminial Mecklenburg county has ever
known, is at large again. He has escaped from the State prison, where he
was sent for a term of thirty years, and
is around his old haunts in this county.
He appeared near Derita last night and

# STREET-CAR **MATTERS UP**

Consolidation Ordinance Was Tabled by Board.

### CARS ON TWENTY-FIFTH ST

City Attorney Instructed to Proceed Against Traction Company-Substitute Adopted for Citizens. Light and Power Ordinance.

neeting last night, and disposed of a large amount of business of more or less im The ordinance of the Passesser and

Power Company to consolidate and extend the life of the franchises of seven other light and power companies here, and to place all their wires underground was tabled on motion of Mr. Turpin after adopted calling upon the City Attorney for his opinion as to whether the pro-posed ordinance confers any additional powers upon the Passenger and Power Company. ordinance increasing the pay of the

The ordinance increasing the pay of the matron of the colored almshouse and the clerk to the Water Department were adopted, and a substitute in the ordinance of the Citizens' Light and Power Company was passed with the consent of the incorporators.

A resolution was offered by Mr. Satterfield and adopted, calling upon the City Attorney to institute legal proceedings against the Traction Company to compel them to operate their cars on Twenty-fifth ad M Streets, according to their charter.

one up in the form of two resolutions, one offered as a substitute for the other, to instruct the Committee on Ordinances, Charter and Reform as to what shall be the lines indicated in their report. They were both tabled and the body proceeded to consider and dispose of a great deal of routine business.

Called to Order. President W. M. Turpin rapped the Board to order promptly at \$:30 o'clock, and fifteen members answered to their pames and a number of others came in later.

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The first matter of importance that came up was the ordinance of the Passenger and Power Company extending the life of other light and power franchises here, and consolidating them with the Passenger, and Power, all the franchises to extend until the expiration of that of the Passenger and Power Company.

Mr. Gunst offered some amendments, and Mr. Turpin (Mr. Wood in the chair) gave notice that later on he would move to lay the entire matter on the table. It

to lay the entire matter on the table. It was evident that the ordinance was going was evident that the ordinance was going to strike some snags, and it was defended at some length by Mr. Minor. He was engaged in a long colloquy by Mr. Turpin, and the latter contended that when the Passenger and Power Company came and

FINALLY TABLED.

Mr. Zimmerman seconded Mr. Turpin' Mr. Zimmerman seconded Mr. Internal motion to table, and he said he did so only in order that members might familigarize themselves with the ordinance. Mr. Gunst spoke for the ordinance, and said he did so in the interest of getting

and Mr. Whittet, of that body, took oc-

matter went on the table. A resolution was adopted, askins the opinion of the City Attorney as to whether the proposed ordinance granted any additional privileges to the Passenger and Power Company, and the clerk proceeded to read routine committee reports.

A resolution was adopted raising the salary of the matron of the Colored Almshouse from \$340 to \$510. A number of resolutions were adopted relating to the grading of streets and alleys.

CITIZENS' LIGHT COMPANY.

When the Citizens' Light and Power ordinance came up, Mr. Minor offered the ordinance as originally drawn, with some slight amendments as a substitute for the amended one, which came from the lower branch. This was done with the consent of the incorporators, because it was discovered that the other paper was unconstitutional. The substitute was unanimously adopted on roll call, and it now goes back to the Council for concurrence. A number of ordinances permitting the construction of sewers in various portions of the city and a good deal of other routine business was disposed of.

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The Board concurred in the resolution providing for sub-gas and water stations and also that to pay special police for service during the recent strike.

The body also concurred in the ordinance increasing the salary of Mr. A. J. Gary, clerk to the water works, from \$500 to \$1,100, and making some slight increases in the wages of some of the men in the lower department, and that relating to reducing the quorum of the James River Improvement Committee to five was concurred in.

AFTER TRACTION COMPANY.

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Mr. Satteried decad a resolution which was adopted, instructing the City Attorney to institute legal proceedings against the Richmond Traction Company to compel them to run their cars on Twenty-fifth and M Streets according to the provisions of their charter, and Mr. Minor offered one instructing the Committee os Charter, Ordinances and Reform in the matter of redistricting the city into wards to report a plan running the lines from south to north, so as to eliminate Jackson Ward, Mr. Minor spoke in favor of its resolution, and Mr. Turpin offered a substitute providing that the committee preserve the present number of wards, and as far as possible the present ward lines. The two patrons got into somethic g of a coloquy over their propositions, and Mr. Turpin twitted Mr. Minor with the suggestion that a few of the respectable ne-

groes from Jackson Ward might tone up Lee Ward to some extent, if they should be placed there on thep roposed shake up.

On motion of Mr. Sheppard, both the resolution and the substitute went upon the table, and Mr. Adams offered a resolution, which was adopted, calling upon the Grounds and Bulldings Committee to report the location of all city property and to advise which of said property it might be well for the city to dispose of. The body at 11 o'clock adjourned.

# DEATH IN SMOKE

asphyxiating smoke. The faces of the dead were red and congested. Some wo-men held their children tightly in their arms.

#### Train Set Afire.

Several versions of the disaster are given out, but the main facts which have been established are the following:

Train No. 43, which caused the accident, came from Porte Dauphin, at the entrance to the Bois de Boulogne, in the western part of Paris, and passing under the Place l'Etolic, circled the northerly quarter of the city. In this northern quarter—a manufacturing section—the train picked up numbers of, workmen, who, after their day's work, were returning to their homes in the populous quarters in the eastern arrondissements of the city. On reaching the neighborhood of the Cemetery of Pere La Chaise, the electrical motor failed to act properly, and the train waited at the station of and train, which pushed the crippled forward, making a total of sixteen

After proceeding about two hundred yards towards Mentimontant Station, the damaged dynamo set fire to the engine of the first train. The engine burned flercely, rasing quantities of smoke. Lights Went Out.

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Simuitaneously the electric lights on the trains went out, leaving the passengers in total darkness except for the light of the burning engine far ahead. This impeded the progress of the trains toward Menilmontant. The terror-stricken passengers got out and tried to grope their; way back to Les Couronnes. The powerful electric current which continued in the rails is believed to have stunned or killed many. A number of the passengers managed to reach Les Couronnes Station, but the main body of the passengers was overcome by the heat and smoke.

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A terrible panic occurred among those behind, and the horror of the situation was increased by a third train crashing into the flery mass and adding another crowd of panic-stricken passengers to those seeking an outlet.

The cars continued to burn until twenty were consumed. The burning debris gave forth a flerce heat, which puffed out of the mouths of the stations of Les Couronnes and Menilmontant. Most of the trainmen escaped, but the conductor of the train causing the accident was seriously injured. The escape of the trainmen is attributed not to their lack of attention to the passengers, but to their superior knowledge of the subterranean passage, which enabled them to hasten forward in spite of the obscurity.

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One of the employes of the road nearly lost his life in seeking to make his way through the smoke to aid the victims, and is now in the hospital. Several solders and firemen risked their lives in attempting to succor the passengers. Prefect Lepha himself took his life in his hands by entering the tunnel and proceeding a considerable distance until the smoke drove him back.

The chief station master at Les Couronnes. M. Didder, has given a graphic description of the events preceding the accident. He says he saw the flames running along the gear of the cars when the first train passed through the station and called out to the engineer declared he had ample time and proceeded. A few minutes later a long blue flame flashed through the tunnel, followed by a violent detonation. Looking into the mouth of the tunnel, M. Didder could see flashes from the burning cars. Great masses of smoke began to pour out, preventing the officials from entering the tunnel. Men struggled out through the smoke. Screams could be heard in the distance amid the crackling of the risk.

Many Were Women.

The names and occupant-lons of the vio tims give pathetic evidence of their humble condition. The names are characteristic of the Fench working classes and occupations are given as painter, mason, plumber, tailor, seamstress, locksmith, etc. Outside the workimen, about every third name is that of a woman. Pittiu scenes were enacted at the morgue throughout the day as the relatives gathered, seeking to identify the bodies, which were ranged in long lines on white marble slabs. The clothing of many of the victims is torn, showing the flereness of the struggle.

Premier Combes descended into the tunnel and made a lengthy, personal inspection. He asked the chief of police for a speedy report on the causes of the disaster and a list of victims, and announced his intention of proposing at a council of ministers measures for the relief of the poor families of the victims. The flag over the Hotel de Ville has been Many Were Women.

## Struggle in Tunnel.

A survivor named Jules Bouat describes the struggle during the panic in the tunnel as terrible. Women on women were screaming "save me, save me," An old man fell suffocated at his feet. The women screamed until they fell applyx-

old man foll suffocated at his feet. The women screamed until they fell asphyxlated. M. Gauther, the magistrate for the district, says one of the main causes of the loss of life was that those escaping took the wrong exit, one passage letting out to the street, while the other was barred, as it was usually used for admitting passengers. Many of the vicitims sought the barred exit and ware found massed against the wall, where they had been slowly suffocated.

M. Blenvenue, the chief engineer of the Metropolitan railroad, says from the technical point of view, every precaution to avoid danger had been taken. The chief misfortune was that the employes did not organize assistance with sufficient rapidity to permit the passengers being quickly drawn out.

At the American consulate it was learned that their were no Americans among the victims. The prefecture of police confirms this, President Loubet has telegraphed to the president of the municipality saying he shares the profound grief into which the City has been plunged.

#### OBITUARY.

Mrs. Frank J. Brooke. Mrs. Frank J. Brooke.

Mrs. E. Guy Brooke, wife of the Rev. Frank J. Brooke, of Alexandria, Va., died yesterday at the residence of her mother, Mrs. Lacy W. Bentley, No. 705 East Franklin Street, this city.

Mrs. Brooke was well known in Confederate work. She organized and was president of the Harrisonburg Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, until her husband was called to take charge of a church in Alexandria. She was then elected president of the Seventeenth Virginia Chapter, of that city. Members of the Richmond Chapter are requested to meet at St. Busten and the Michael Chapter are requested to attend the uneral.

The funcal will take place at 5:30 clock this afternoon from St. Paul's Church. The interment will be private.

T. Oscar Rogers. Mr. T. Oscar Rogers,

Mr. T. Oscar Rogers died at the Kellam
Cancer Hospital in this city Saturday
morning. His remains were interred at
Hampden-Sidney, Va., Sunday morning.
He was in his eightleth year. He was
born in Albemarle county, and was a

J. THOMPSON BROWN & CO.

Funeral of Mr. Chesterman.

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The funeral of Mr. Edwin Bruce Chesterman will take place this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock from Park Place Church. Mr. Chesterman was a member of the First Presbyterian Church, but that edifice is now undergoing repairs, which prevent its use. Under the circumstances, it was decided to have the funeral services conducted at Park Place Church, where only seven months are the later lits were said over the remains of Mr. Chesterman's wife. The interment will be in Holly vood. The pall bearers are as follows: Messra, Andraw Tyree, S. B. Woodin, John Gliman, James H. Pace, Lisby Redford, Jr., J. Watson James, John Slämper, John D. Murrell, Horace Hawkins, D. C. Richardson, Jeffergon Wallace, J. K. Kerr, J. K. Kerr.

J. K. Kerr.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

BEDFORD CITY. V.A., August 11.—Mr.

J. Kinkaird Kerr died on Sunday at the
home of Mr. John A. Stewart, near Lowy, at the age of about sixty-two years.
He had not been well for some time, but
had only been confined to the bed a
week prior to his death.

Mr. Kerr, who was a native of Glasgow, Booland, had spent much of his
life in America, where he had engaged
in various business enterprises. He had
crossed the Atlantic twenty-one times in
his journeys between this country and
Great Britain. He had very extensive
lumber interests in Bedford, having pur
chased recently large tracts of timber

mills. and operated a number of sawMr. Kerr was a gentleman of wealth
and culture, and was very highly esteemed by all those who came within the
range of his influence, or had business
transactions with him.

The funeral services took place Tuesday morning from St. Stephen's Episcopal
Church, in the county. He had never
married.

Mrs. J. C. Mauck.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

LDESBURG, VA., Aug. II.—Irs.
Mauck, widow of the late Joseph C.
Mauck of Waterford, this county, fled at
her home yesterday, aged seventy-five
years. She is survived by three sons,
Mesars. James E. Charles and Samuel,
Mauck, of this county, and by seven
daughters, Misses Alice. Cora, and Ida
Mauck, of Waterford, and Mrs. Tribby,
Mrs. H. Peacock, and Mrs. G. Adams, of
Hillsboro, and Mrs. J. J. Wire, of Washington.

Mrs. Effie H. May.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ALEXANDRIA, VA., Aus. 11.—Mrs. Effic H. May, wife of John W. May, of the firm of William H. May and Son, died early this morning at the residence on Washington Street. She was a daughter of the late James H. Devaughn. Three children and her husband survive her. The funeral will be held at 4 g'clock Thursday evening.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
ALEXANDRIA, VA., August 11.—Mr.
Thos. B. Power died at his home on
Prince Street last night about 10 o'clock.
Mr. Power had been in very poor health
for some time. For many years he held
a position as clerk in the city postoffice,
and was regarded as one of the most
efficient men in the building.
He is survived by a widow and one
small daughter.

BROOKE.—Funeral of B. GAY BROOKE, wife of Rev. Frank J. Brooke, of Alexandria, Va., and daughter of Mrs. Lucy W. and the late E. B. Bentley, will take place from St. Panl's Church THIS AFTERNOON at 5:80 o'clock. Interment private.

(ANDOLPH, Died, Tuesday, August 11th, at 12:40 A. M., at Redlands, Fauquier county, Va., Rev. BUCKNER MAGILL RANDOLPH, rector of Emmanuel Protestant Eplacopal Church, Henrico county, in the sixty-second rector of Emmanu. Church, Henrico county, in the per-year of his age. Funeral TO-MORROW at 8 o'clock at Red-

AUCTION SALES-THIS DAY By Edward S. Rose Company, Real Estate Auctioneers.

### AUCTION SALE OF THAT MOST AT-TRACTIVE COTTAGE, No. 1920 W. Main,

STREET, LOT 100x179 AND 9-12 FEET TO AN ALLEY.

At the request of the owner we will sell by auction, upon the premises, on WEDNESDAY, 12TH DAY OF AUG, 1823, at 8 o'clock P. M., the above property, which is beyond question one of the most valuable as well as attractive home sites on West Main Street. Avail yourself of the opportunity thus offered of becoming its owner.

TERMS—At sale,
EDWARD S. ROSE COMPANY,
Aug, 5-tds Auctioneers.

By Pollard & Bagby.

#### Auction Sale of TWO FRAME DWELLINGS, 724 and 724 1-2 N. SEVENTEENTH ST.

With Rallroad Track in Rear, We will sell, by auction, on the premi-WEDNESDAY, AUGUST THE 12TH,

at 6 clock F. M., the above mentioned property. The two houses with a few repairs will make a profitable investment, also good place for small warehouse. We expect the property to go at a bargain.

TERMS—At sale.

POLLARD & BAGBY.

By the Valentine Auction Co., 612 East Broad Street.

OUR RECULAR WEDNESDAY AUCTION SALE OF PIANOS, REFRIGerators, Furniture and Household Effects,
generally, at our auction wareroom, 612
THIS (WEDNESDAY) MORNING, AUthe state Hong Street Street Street
at 10:30 o'clock nare collection of new
all used Furniture for parior, library,
hall, daming-room and sleeping apart,
hall, for strength of the strength of the sleeping apart
and score planes, Chairs, Mattresses, Wardrobes, Tables, Silver Pitcher, Bookcase
and Secretary combined, etc., etc.
All in first-class condition, and sold on
account of parties moving and declining
housekeeping.
Ladios invited to attend this sale,
THE VALENTINE AUCTION CO.

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### **CLOTHING SALE** CONTINUES AGAIN

TO-DAY (WEDNESDAY), AUGUST 12, at No. 1403 East Main Street, at 10:50 A. M., 4 P. M. and 7:30 P. M. Everything being put up sold. Men's Sults, Shirts, Hats, Collars, Neckwear, Shoes, &c., &c.

Call for what you want and get it at your price. THE VALENTINE AUCTION CO., Auctioneers.

# **NEW RENT LIST**

C. L. & H. L. Denoon, Real Estate Auctioneers, 821 East Main Street. TRUSTEE'S AUCTION SALE NEAT FRAME DWELLING, NO. 801 W. LEIGH STREET, IN THE CITY OF RICHMOND, CONTAINING FOUR ROOMS.

By virtue of a deed of trust, dated May 5, 1902, recorded in Ruchmond Chancery Court, D. B. 174 A. page 120, and at request of note holder, default having been made in payment, I will sell by public auction, on the premises, on WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12, 1903, at 5 o'clock P. M., the neat frame dwelling, located as above described, on Leigh Street weat of Graham Street, designated as No. 331 West Leigh Street.

This property rents well and is occupied by good tenant.

TERMS—Cash for expenses of sale, any taxes due, and to pay a note of \$212, with interest from May 6, 1903; credits for \$224, due May 6, 1904 and \$225, due May 6, 1904 interest all credit payments to be secured by deed of trust on property.

C. L. DENOON Trustee.

C. L. & H. L. Denoon, Auctioneers.

AUCTION SALES—FUTURE DAYS.

AUCTION SALES-THIS DAY.

AUCTION SALES-FUTURE DAYS.

Auction Sale of Three Small BRICK HOUSES,

### 831, 833 and 835 WEST MOORE STREET

#### Best Investment Property to be Had.

We will sell, by auditon, on the premiwe will son, by account the 12, 1908, at 5 o'clock P. M., the above mentioned property, consisting of three 4-room brick houses, in good order, renting for \$19.50 per month. This property is sold to pay a deed of trust for \$100, and will make a paying investment, on price expected.

TERMS—Annunced at sale.

POLLARD & BAGBY.

#### Trustee's Sale of 10 Attractive Building Lots in the West End, Fronting on WINDER AND SUMPTER STREETS.

WINDER AND SUMPIER SIRERIS,

By virtue of a deed of trust dated November 19, 1592, recorded in Henrice County Court clerk's office, D. B. 141 B., page 152, and at request of beneficiary, default having been made in payment of note secured, I will sell by public auction, on the premiser, on.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 12, 1903, at 5 o'clock P. M., the property described in said deed: First, 60 feet at southwest corner of Winder and Sumpter Streets; seond, 55 feet at southwest corner of Gatea and Winder Streets, and, third, 70 feet one ast line of Sumpter Street, beginning 140 feet south of Winder Street, leginning 140 feet south of Winder Street, all these of shave goed depth and the location is desirable for building, with future improvement and increasing value.

TERMS—Cash, for expenses of sale, any taxes due and to pay a note of 350 with interest from November 13, 1835, and the balance on terms announced sale.

C. L. & H. L. DENNON.

C. L. & H. L. DENOON, Auctioneers.

By N. W. Bowe, Real Estate Auctioneer.

TRUSTEES SALE OF ATTRACTIVE CORNER LOT IN THE PLAN OF FAIRMOUNT.

In execution of a deed of trust dated February 6, 1903, and recorded in Henrico County Court, in D. B. 166 "B" page 80, will sell by public auction, on the prem-

I will sell by public auction, on the premises, on at 6 o'clock P. M., that attractive lot at the southwest corner of T and Twentieth Streets, fronting 31 feet and running back 125 feet 3 inches to an alley in the rear. TERMS—Cash sufficient to pay the costs of sale and taxes to day of sale, and to discharge a debt amounting to \$24.89, and the residue on credits of one and two years for notes, with interest added, and secured by a deed of trust.

J. L. TALIAFERRO, Trustee.

Immediately after the above sale those THRESE HANDSCAME LOTS. fronting together 31 feet, at the northwest corner of T and Twenty-first Streets, the pretitest in attractive Fairmount, will be sold to pay a deed of trust debt on them of \$500.

TERMS—One-third cash, and balance at 6 and 13 months.

N. W. BOWE, Aug. 12

Auotioneer.

By Edward S. Rose Company, Real Estate Auctioneers.

TRUSTEES AUCTION SALE FRAME DWELLING, NO. 1910 DANCE STREET,

By virtue of a certain deed of trust dated 28th October, 1897, of record in the clerk's office Henrico County Court, D. B., Gol B, page 390, default having been made in the payment of the note thereby ac-cured, and being required by the benef-ciary so to do, I will sell by auction, upon

clary so to do, I will sen by
the premises, on
MONDAY, AUGUST 17, 1903,
at 6 o'clock P. M., the property local
above. The lot has a front of 30 by 1
4-12 feet to an alley in rear. The dw
is detached, thus rendering it more
able. We have known persons to
big money by following up sales o

character. Chah as to expenses of sale, including all taxes that may be due, and a note of \$214.6-100, with 8 per cent, interest from date until paid; or all cash, at the option of the purchaser.

H. R. POLLARD, Jr., Trustee, Edward S. Rose Co., Auctioneers, Aug. 12-tds

By Edward S. Rose Company, Real Estate Auctioneers. AUCTION SALE OF THAT DETACHED FRAME DWELLING NO. 133 WEST CLAY STREET; LOT 20 BY 183 FEET TO AN ALLEY.

At the request of the parties in interest, we will on TUESDAY, 18TH DAY OF AUG. 1903, at 5 o'clock P. M., sell by auction, upon the premises, the dwelling numbered as above. Tis seldem that dwellings of the character are offered at all, and but for the fact that this is being sold for division, this chance would not be afforded you; hence, if you fall to attend the sale don't blame us.

TERMS—At sale.

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TEDWARD S. ROSE COMPANY,
Aug. 12-tds

By the Valentine Auction Co., Auctioneers.

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E. NAMELED IRON BEDS, HAIR MATTRESSES. OAK BOOKCASE, ROLLer Top Desk, Revolving Office Chair,
Combination Iron Safe, Extension Tables,
Chairs, Linoleum, Glass Top Tables, Table
Linen. Bedding, &c., at auction,
TO-MORKOW TTHURSDAY) MORNING,
We will sell at the Oid Dominion Hospital,
No. 1225 East Marshall Street, on account
of moving in the new Memorial Hospital,
large number of Enameled Iron Beds
and Springs, Hair Mattresses, Oak China
Case, Oak Bookcase, Oak Chairs, Center
Tables, Extension Tables, Glass Top Tables, Rocking Chairs, Heating Stoves, Gas
Stoves, Feather Pillows, Large it of
Sheets, Blankets, Quilts, Counterpanes,
&c., large lot of Towels, Napkins, Table
Cloths, &c., Roller Top Office, Desk, Flat
Top Desk, Revolving Office Chair, Combination Lock Iron Safe, large Steel Cooking Range, Kitchen Tables, Tinware,
Porcelain Utensils, 20 Yards, Linoleum,
Venetian Blinds, Creckery, Glassware,
&c., &c.
All of the furniture is in good condi-

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&c. &c.

All of the furniture is in good condition. The ladies are invited to attend.

TERMS—Cash.

THE VALENTINE & CTION CO.,

Auctioneers,